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## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of:

Applicants : Constantine J. Tsikos et al.

Application Serial No.: 10/730,481

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Title: METHOD OF AND SYSTEM FOR ACQUIRING AND

ANALYZING INFORMATION ABOUT THE PHYSICAL

ATTRIBUTES OF OBJECTS USING PLANAR

ILLUMINATION BEAMS, VELOCITY-DRIVEN AUTO-FOCUSING AND AUTO-ZOOM IMAGING OPTICS, AND

HEIGHT AND VELOCITY CONTROLLED IMAGE

**DETECTION ARRAYS** 

Examiner : Ahshik Kim

Group Art Unit : 2876

Attorney Docket No.: 108-103USANA0

Honorable Commissioner of Patents

and Trademarks Washington, DC 20231

## **RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION MAILED JULY 27, 2005**

Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed in the present Application on July 27, 2005, Applicants submit the following amendments to the same:

AMENDME	ENT TO THE T	ITLE:				
Please amend the Title to Invention to read as follows:						
METHOD OF AND APPARATUS FOR REDUCING SPECKLE-PATTERN NOISE IN A PLANAR LASER ILLUMINATION AND IMAGING (PLIIM) BASED SYSTEM						
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